GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

EFS&T Dept., - Public Services – Government jeep bearing no.AP-5 BS 2334 of FRO, Sudikonda Range – Road accident due to rash and negligent driving - Death of Sri Pragada Venkateswara Rao on 12-11-2012 – Filing of application by Smt P. Satyavathi W/o deceased before the Additional judge. Motor Accidents Claim Tribunal-Cum-Special judge, Rajahmundry – Judgement in MVOP No.26/2014, dated 31-03-2016 passed by the Court and ordered for payment of Rs. 10,26,500/- towards compensation – Payment of interest @ 9% p.a. on compensation already paid –Accorded - Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (S-III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.37 Dated: 16-05-2022.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.114, EFS&T(S-III) Dept., dated 30-12-2019.
2. G.O.Rt.No.640, Fin. (Bud.1) Dept., dated 14-03-2020.
3. From the PCCF & HoFF, AP., Guntur, Lr.No.EFS02-19043/18/2018/Vig.2, Dated. 22-06-2020.
4. Govt. Memo No. Coor/5/2018-S3-EFS&T, dated 12-10-2020.
5. From the PCCF &HoFF, AP.,Guntur, Lr.Ref.No.EFS02/19043/18/2018/Vig.2 Dated 24-01-2022.

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O R D E R:

In the letter 5th read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P., Guntur has stated that Smt. Pragada Satyavathi and (3) others filed a claim petition against Sri N.Karuna Kumar, Driver of the of the jeep bearing no. AP05 BS 2334, seeking compensation of Rs.6.0 lakh consequent to the death of one Sri P. Venkateswara Rao @ Venkatesulu, in an accident on 12-11-2012 near Kondayya Cheruvu at Narsapuram, Kanupuru Road of Korukonda Mandal due to rash and negligent driving of the driver Sri N.Karuna Kumar. The Hon'ble Court of Motor Accident Claims Tribunal, Rajahmundry in MVOP No.26/2014 passed orders on 31-03-2016 awarding a compensation of Rs.10,26,500/- with interest at 9% p.a. Accordingly, Government have sanctioned an amount of Rs.10,26,500/- towards payment of compensation to Smt. P.Satyavathi, W/o late P.Venkateswara Rao, as per the directions in MVOP No.26/2014 vide G.O.Rt.No.640, Finance (Budget.I) Department, dated 14-03-2020.

2. He has further stated that the DFO, Kakinada in Rc.no.1223/2014/A2, dated 01-12-2020 deposited the amount Rs.10,26,500/- in the account of the Hon'ble Principal judge. The Government Pleader, Rajamahendravaram has issued notice dated 15-10-2021, wherein he has requested to make necessary arrangements to deposit the interest on the already paid compensation amount of Rs.10,26,500/-, @9% p.a., as awarded by the Hon'ble Court. (which comes to an amount of Rs.7,63,227/-)

3. The PCCF & HoFF, AP., Guntur has requested the Government to issue budget release orders for making payment of interest amount of Rs.7,63,227/- to the beneficiary, to avoid legal complications in the matter.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby accord sanction for an amount of Rs.7,63,227/- (Rupees Seven Lakh Sixty Three Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty Seven only) towards payment of interest on the compensation amount to Smt. P.Satyavathi, W/o late P.Venkateswara Rao @9% p.a on compensation amount of Rs.10,26,500/-, as per the directions in MVOP No.26/2014.

P.T.O.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para (4) above, shall be debited to the Head of Account "2406 – Forestry and wildlife –SMH.01-Forestry- MH 001 – Direction and administration– SH (03) District Offices – 500 Other Charges – 501 Compensation (Charged)" and shall initially be met an advance from the Contingency Fund, orders regarding which will be issued by Finance (BG.I) Department separately.

6. The Drawing and Disbursement Officer, O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P., Guntur is authorized to draw and disburse the amount to the petitioner as per the court directions. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Guntur is requested to take action for obtaining Supplementary Grant at appropriate time during the CFY 2022-23 towards recoupment of the advance sanctioned from the Contingency Fund.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU-EFS&T, MA&UD, CRDA) Department, vide their U.O.No.FMU0ASD/57/2018 (Computer No.671392), dated 19-04-2022.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

NEERABH KUMAR PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P., Guntur.
The Accountant General, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Ibrahimpatnam.
The Director of Works Accounts, Ibrahimpatnam
The District Treasury Officer, Kakinada.
Copy to:
The Finance (FMU-EFS&T, MA&UD, CRDA) Department.
The Finance (Budget.I) Department.
The Chief Conservator of Forests, Rajahmundry.
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER